IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
François COTTARD et al.) Group Art Unit: 1751
Application No.: 10/728,954) Examiner: Eisa B. Elhilo
Filed: December 8, 2003))
For: COMPOSITION FOR THE OXIDATION DYEING OF KERATIN FIBERS, COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE OXIDATION DYE, AT LEAST ONE ASSOCIATIVE POLYMER, AND AT LEAST ONE AMINOSILICONE) Confirmation No.: 9017) Mail Stop - RCE)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

SUBMISSION AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Further to the Notice of Appeal filed December 22, 2006, the period of response having been extended to June 22, 2007, by a request for a four-month extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants respectfully request continued examination of this application in view of the remarks set forth herein. The present paper satisfies the requirement for a "Submission" to accompany the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 filed herewith. The RCE and this submission are timely filed in view of the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed concurrently herewith.